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**For: LOW NOISE COMMUNICATION
MODULAR CONNECTOR INSERT**

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Before commencing examination of the above-identified application, which is a
divisional patent application stemming from U.S. Patent Application 09/968,128 filed October 1,
2001, please amend the application as follows: